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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.98 copies of the following patents and/or publications are submitted herewith:

United States Patent No. 5,335,138 (Sandhu et al.), dated August 2, 1994;

United States Patent No. 5,885,900 (Schwartz), dated March 23, 1999;

United States Patent No. 6,037,264 (Hwang), dated March 14, 2000;

European Patent Application EP 0 901 157 A2 (Weinrich et al.), dated March 10, 1999, structuring method;

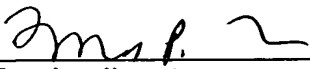
International Publication WO 00/59011 (Keil), dated October 5, 2000.

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